



Docket No. 5000-5135

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Kazunori SHIMAZAKI et al.

Group Art Unit: 3661

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Examiner: WEISKOPF, Marie A.

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For: PARKING ASSISTING DEVICE

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Final Office Action dated April 20, 2006, for which a shortened statutory period for reply has been set at three (3) months. This Amendment is being filed to expedite resolution of the above-referenced Application and to remove issues from appeal and/or adopt the Examiner's suggestions. Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments and reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the **Claims** as pending are included beginning on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.